

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KABUL

TO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMCONSUL HONG KONG

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, AF

SUBJ: GOVERNMENT TENDER: BACKHOES, DRAGLINES & CRANES

1. 531/01/T-0004

2. 081374

3. P. BEHNKE

4. 531 AFGHANISTAN

5. N

6. A. CABLE OR WRITE --

B. CRIPPEN INTERNATIONAL LTD.

1605 HAMILTON AVENUE

NORTH VANCOUVER, B.C. CANADA

OR

R. SHINWARI

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION

GAWARGAN-CHARDARRAH PROJECT DEPARTMENT

BLOCK #13, MICROYAN

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

7. CONTRACT G-C-1

8. 113074 12:00 PM

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9. 201

10. 3531870-0000 FOUR BACKHOE MACHINES WITH MOUNTED  
CRAWLERS.

3531481-0000 ONE SHOVEL FRONT FOR ABOVE

3531420-0000 TWO DRAGLINE MACHINES WITH MOUNTED  
CRAWLERS

35314XX-0000 ONE 30-TON MOBILE CRANE.

35314XX-0000 TWO 15-TON MOBILE CRANES.

11. PROJECT FINANCED BY A \$5 MILLION ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK  
SPECIAL FUND LOAN. SPECIFICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR \$33 CANADIAN  
OR 2,000 AFGHANIS RESPECTIVELY AT ABOVE ADDRESSEES. SUGGEST FIRMS  
IN US APPLY THROUGH CRIPPEN INTERNATIONAL IN CANADA.  
THIS IS SECOND OF EIGHT TRADE OPPORTUNITIES IN CONJUNCTION WITH  
GAWARGAN-CHARDARAH PROJECT. TENDERERS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO TENDER  
FOR ALL EIGHT GROUPS OF EQUIPMENT. PROJECT DEPARTMENT RESERVES  
RIGHT TO ACCEPT ONE OR MORE BIDS FROM ANY TENDERER. SUMMARY OF  
TENDER DOCUMENT BEING SENT TO USDOC AND OTHER ACTION ADDRESSEES  
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